

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA
BILLINGS DIVISION

JERRI JOETTE TILLET,

Plaintiff,

vs.

BUREAU OF LAND
MANAGEMENT, INTERIOR
BOARD OF LAND APPEALS, and
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

Defendants.

CV 16-148-BLG-TJC

ORDER

Pending before the Court are the parties' cross-motions for summary judgment. (Docs. 25, 28.) The Court believes it will benefit from oral argument on these motions. *See* L.R. 7.1(e). Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that counsel for the parties shall appear before the Court on **Monday, December 4, 2017, at 2:00 p.m.** in the Bighorn Courtroom, James F. Battin Federal Courthouse, Billings, Montana, to participate in oral argument with respect to the pending motions and associated briefing. The parties will be limited to fifteen (15) minutes per side.

The parties should come prepared to discuss the special status species at issue in this case, particularly the Peregrine Falcon and Shoshone Carrot. The Court also requests that the parties be familiar with the Ninth Circuit Court of

Appeals case *Northern Plains Resource Council v. Surface Transp. Bd.*, 668 F.3d 1067 (9th Cir. 2011), and U.S. District Court cases interpreting that case.

DATED this 22nd day of November, 2017.



TIMOTHY J. CAVAN
United States Magistrate Judge